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Before the Primary Examiner

In re Application of:)
DAVE B. LUNDAHL) Group Art Unit: 3635
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Hon. Commissioner of Patents & Trademarks
Washington, D. C. 20231

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

In the Specification

Page 7, please re-write the third paragraph (beginning on line 12) to read as follows:

4B1 -- Figure 2 illustrates a window having fixed frame section 15 and movable in-swinging window sash section 16 in a partially opened position. As shown, the sash section overlaps a portion of the fixed frame section. The sash section and fixed frame section also have complementary-shaped edges to allow for the interaction of operating hardware and weather strips (which for purposes of clarity are not shown). A strip 12 of fastener material is secured to the fixed window frame section 15 in an area where the sash section overlaps a portion of the fixed frame section as shown, without intruding into the vision area when the sash is open. The mating strip 11 of fastener material on the edge of the screen mesh can be simply applied to strip 12 to secure it in place without taking up problematic amounts of space with traditional screen frames.--